



# Green Acres Animal Rescue

## ~ VOLUNTEER APPLICATION ~

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Driver's License/ID (STATE, #, EXP DATE): \_\_\_\_\_

### Volunteer Areas of Interest/Skills: *(Please check all that apply)*

- Shelter Caregiver (cleaning, feeding, laundry, dishes, etc) \_\_\_\_\_
- Socialization (playing with and attending to animals) \_\_\_\_\_
- Transportation (vet visits, adoption events, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
- Marketing/Publicity/Fundraising \_\_\_\_\_
- Grant Writing \_\_\_\_\_
- Photography \_\_\_\_\_
- Building/Landscaping on rescue property \_\_\_\_\_
- Office tasks \_\_\_\_\_
- Fostering (please complete a Foster Application) \_\_\_\_\_
- Craft for a cause \_\_\_\_\_
- Other (describe) \_\_\_\_\_

### Experience: *(Please describe your experience)*

- Have you ever volunteered at an animal shelter or rescue? (Yes / No) If Yes, what were your responsibilities and why did you leave? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Do you have any experience with animals? (Yes / No) If Yes, describe your experience and with which types of animals. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Do you have any additional experience or skills that you feel would benefit GAAR? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Why are you interested in volunteering with GAAR? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- How did you hear about GAAR? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Have you been convicted of any felonies in the past five (5) years? (Yes/No) If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*\*By submitting this application, you agree to a basic criminal history check*

Volunteer Name \_\_\_\_\_



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**Hours of Availability:** *(Describe the day(s), time(s), and frequency of your availability)*

- Sunday \_\_\_\_\_
- Monday \_\_\_\_\_
- Tuesday \_\_\_\_\_
- Wednesday \_\_\_\_\_
- Thursday \_\_\_\_\_
- Friday \_\_\_\_\_
- Saturday \_\_\_\_\_
- Special Event(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Provide the Name/Phone Number/Relationship of two references** *(at least one of which being non-family)*

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_

**Agreements:** *(Initial by each statement to signify agreement)*

- I understand that volunteering with GAAR is not a paid position.
- As a volunteer, I agree to abide by all of the organization's policies and procedures.
- As a volunteer, I fully understand and agree to provide humane care and treatment for all animals in my care.
- I understand that animals are as individual as people. Shelter animals require lots of attention and need proper training. I do not expect that the animal(s) will know how to do everything right away. I understand it will take time for the animal to warm up to new volunteers.
- I further understand that the behavior of domestic animals is sometimes unpredictable and that some domestic animals are capable of inflicting serious personal injury or death, as well as extensive property damage. Knowing the risks of handling domestic animals, nevertheless, I hereby agree to assume those risks and to release, indemnify and hold harmless GAAR and its members/volunteers who might otherwise be liable to me or my heirs or assigns for damages.
- I understand that volunteering is at my own risk and I hereby forever release, discharge and agree to hold harmless and indemnify GAAR, or its affiliates, from all claims, demands, actions, causes of action or liability of any kind whatsoever arising because of doing volunteer work with GAAR. I agree that I will not make any claim against, sue, attack the property of, or prosecute GAAR (or any of its board members/volunteers) for any death, personal injury or property damage, whatever the cause or place of event giving rise to the claim, which I may suffer or sustain as a result of or in connection with my participation as a volunteer.



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I have read and understand, in its entirety, this application and certify the information entered is true and correct. I am aware that this is an indemnity, waiver & release of liability, and contract between me and GAAR. I am signing this on my own free will, and in signing, I fully agree to the conditions of this agreement.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Green Acres Animal Rescue Contact Information: (Website) [www.greenacresanimalrescue.org](http://www.greenacresanimalrescue.org)*

*(Email) [inquiries@greenacresanimalrescue.org](mailto:inquiries@greenacresanimalrescue.org) (Facebook) greenacresanimalresc (Text) 320-406-9602*

### **In Case of an Emergency:**

- Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other Medical Concerns: \_\_\_\_\_
- Emergency Contact:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_



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***(Below is for Approved GAAR Representative Use Only)***

Review the volunteer application. Answer the questions below to assist in determining if the applicant meets the qualifications to become a volunteer with GAAR.

\*Is the volunteer 18 years or older? (Yes/No) If No, an adult must accompany minors who volunteer. Has the accompanying adult completed an application? (Yes / No) If No, the application for the minor must be denied.

\*Was an ID presented? (Valid/Expired) (Driver's Licence/Military ID/Passport/State Identification Card) If No, why? \_\_\_\_

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\*Has the applicant passed a basic criminal history check? (Yes/No/NA) If No, why? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\*Do the applicant's references agree with the request to volunteer? (Yes/No/NA) If No, why? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\*Does the applicant meet all required considerations? (Yes/No) If No, why? \_\_\_\_\_

\*Are there limitations based on required considerations? (Yes/No) If Yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Is this Volunteer Application Approved? (Yes/No)

If No, why? \_\_\_\_\_

If Yes, for what tasks? \_\_\_\_\_

Approved GAAR Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_